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TAGS: EFIN, ECRE, SG
SUBJECT: SENEGALESE CEMENT PLANT

REF: DAKAR 4504

DEPT PASS TO COMMERCE/MEPD AND BRIAN TREADWELL OF OPIC

1. EMBASSY STRONGLY SUGGESTS THAT US FIRMS INTERESTED IN CONSTRUCTION OF 300,000 TON CLINKER PLANT IN SENEGAL WRITE TO MINISTER OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT WITHOUT WAITING FOR RECEIPT OF KLOCKNER FEASIBILITY STUDY (REFTEL). BOTH KLOCKNER AND A FRENCH GROUP, POSSIBLY LA FARGE, HAVE WRITTEN LETTERS OFFERING TO BUILD PLANT TO INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS AT COST OF \$40-\$50 MILLION AND ARE NEGOTIATING WITH SENEGALESE CONTACTS TO OBTAIN LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION.

2. LETTER SHOULD BE BRIEF, BUT REFER TO FIRMS' WILLINGNESS TO PUT EQUITY INTO PLANT.

3. IT SHOULD BE CLEAR THAT LETTER IS ONLY EXPRESSION OF INTEREST, NOT FIRM OFFER WHICH CAN ONLY BE MADE AFTER EXAMINATION OF SITE, MARKETING REQUIREMENTS AND DESIRED CHARACTERISTICS OF PLANT. OUR OBJECTIVE IS TO PERSUADE GOS TO EXAMINE AMERICAN PROPOSALS BEFORE SIGNING EITHER WITH GERMANS OR FRENCH.

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